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# FESTIVE **FRILLS**

Keep it simple, put some thought into it and try to stick to one theme. These are words of advice from a former judge of the Didsbury Christmas Light Display contest.

"Sometimes too much is just that, too much," Joyce Mullen ad-vised. "Try to pick items that don't

clash, that go well with each other."

A blinding blaze of flashing lights are no guarantee of a win, but a clever blend of twinkle and sparkle accenting an imaginative display is always a winner no mat-

ter how the final votes ere tallied.
The Chamber of Commercesponsored challenge invites all area residents to participate in the con-test. Urban dwellers need only set up their display and await the results, while rural residents are asked to register with the Cham-ber by December 9 in order to be placed on the judges visitation list. The actual evening of inspection depends on the weather, but traditionally takes place somewhere in the last two weeks prior to Christ-

"The winners will receive a complimentary home cooked meal at a chamber meeting," said Didsbury Chamber of Commerce President, Linda Vernon-Third. "We will set a date at our first meeting in 1997 and invite the winners to attend a meeting afterward, probably in February. They will be presented with plaques and will be officially recognized at a chamber meeting



SHOEBOXES SHIPPED

Elaine Sanderson and Melissa Moreau, Grade 7 Students at Westglen Middle School, were the lucky winners of the ShoeBox delivery draw last week. The students helped load the shoebox gift items into principal Phil Corning's van, and they, along with teacher/project coordinator Carolyn Massel headed for Calgary to deliver the shoeboxes to their Calgary drop off site. The photo also shows (bottom right) food bank items collected

Ice storms in the northwest corner of the United States knocked out power to thousands of homes for extended periods last week. In Didsbury, snow and ice have clipped power sources in a series of nearly undetectable disconnections, but to date no

long term outages have occurred.

Telltale light fixture flickers send computer users

bolting for the "save" setting, and flashing VCR time indicators indicate a power outage has severed the connection just long enough to cancel the program

For most, the abbreviated breaks have been scarcely discernable, but for others, concern is warranted.

Fire Chief Rick Mousseau, for example, reports that careful monitoring of the fire hall page call system is a necessity under these conditions, back up system notwithstanding.

What causes these blips on the power map?
"Ice builds up on power lines causing vibration," explained TransAlta Utilities Service Supervisor Phil Philipoff. "Conductors make contact under this condition resulting in brief power outages."

Didsbury is not the only centre reporting such outages.

"This is happening on a wide scale," Philipoff said. "In Carstairs, Didsbury, Olds, Airdrie, Cremona, Crossfield, Cochrane and the City of Calgary."

# **Didsbury Museum** in pursuit of historical

By Elaine Wilson

The Didsbury and District Historical Society has received school board endorsement in their pursuit of historical site status in the form of a letter dated November 18 from the "central office" of the Chinook's Edge School Board in Innisfail.

The museum board welcomes the support of the school board. Treasurer David Mohr reported that historical status designation

would clear the way to empower the board to pursue grant appli-cations in allotments up to \$5,000 for restorative purpos

There was some confusion re-arding reports that Chinook's Edge might be willing to turn the Edge might be willing to turn the land over to the museum following historical site designation, but Assistant Superintendent Wayne Poncia said this was not the case.

We [Chinook's Edge] hold the See Museum page 2

# **Power fluctuations** hit area

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# Cold weather reflected on utility b

The Olds TransAlta office is receiving inquiries about comparative power usage for 1996 over 1995, as citizens plug in vehicles and fire up in-car heaters against an unseasonably severe round of sub-zero temperatures.

"November 1996 is certainly colder than 1995," TransAlta spokesman Phil Philipoff reported. "Cold weather and power onsumption are directly related Higher power bills are a reflec-tion of cold weather and less daylight hours. [We] suggest timers or thermostatic controlled car plug-ins.

Air leakage can account for one third of total heat loss in the average home; this translates into an additional \$100 to \$150 more dollars spent on home heating for houses served by natural gas- and even more by those us-ing alternate fuels. Cracks and holes around doors and windows are costly. Adding up the leaks in

size of a small window open to the elements all winter long.

"Windows are the biggest weak spot in a building," said Rob Falconer, TransAlta's En-ergy Matters expert. "Another common source of air leakage is doors and fireplaces.

Sudden drops in temperature can lead to a condensation problem. Ice build-up on windows, a dampness or frost on walls and doors, or stains on the ceiling occur because moist air inside hits cold surfaces and cools. The solution can be as simple as opening the drapes to improve air circulation, or it can be as extensive as to require a new ventilation system be installed to lower the interior humidity level.

This is not the time of year to take action on insulation, but it's something to investigate when spring rolls around.

"Look at the age of your house," Falconer said. "If it's 10

for an insulation upgrade. And don't forget the attic. It's like the head on your body. We wear a hat because most of

our head. Well, the same goes for your attic. Put a 'toque' on your home and insulate your attic

### Hot tips for cold days

Turn down the thermostat during the day if gone for more

Open drapes and move furniture blocking air registers

Keep your freezer at least two thirds full. The fewer items, the harder it must work to keep cold. Fill empty spaces with ice

cream buckets full of water.

- Open the dishwasher after the last rinse cycle and let dishes air dry-most electricity is used during the drying cycle, not the washing cycle.

Buy a block heater control which shuts off once the engine block is warmed up.

- Clean or replace furnace filters regularly - Caulk and weatherstrip windows and doors - Cook several items in the oven at once and turn off stove one half hour before finishing time.

Museum continued from page 1 title and the lease for the fenced land that the museum sits on and the land immediately to the east," Poncia said. "Both of those have a six-month clause on them, a cancellation clause, that is the status of the two sites. We still plan on holding the lease. We'll continue

the same good relationship into the future. The land remains in the same status as before, but in order for [the museum board] to access grants we needed to allow it to become an historic site. We thought it was a great idea for them and for the community.



LIGHTER MOMENT

Didsbury and District Historical Society President Marg Weave (centre) traded smiles with Secretary Willard Stauffer (left) and Treasurer David Mohr (right) as the board and members discussed Christmas party plans at last week's regular society meeting. The Christmas event is scheduled for the evening of Wednesday, Decem-Photo by Elaine Wilson

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On behalf of the Returning Officer(s) listed below, Notice of Revision of the List and Register of Electors is hereby given. Applications for additions, deletions or corrections to the List and Register of Electors will be considered between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 9 p.m. on Saturday, November 30, 1996

by the Returning Officer in your Electoral Division, at the address listed below

# **Effects** of restructuring remain unkr

By Elaine Wilson

The impact of budgetary cuts and administrative streamlining within Health Authority 5 remain

largely unknown at press time. Didsbury hospital staff attending a meeting last week in the downstairs education room were afforded a first look at the new administrative team pruned and slotted into new designations as of November first, as the group kicked off an introductory speaking circuit throughout the region.

Chief executive officer James Ramsbottom announced that, locally, selected health programs (including Orthopaedics) will be temporarily halted, with possible re-introduction in the spring. However, there were no guaranthat curtailed programs would move back into the Didsbury facility.

Ramsbottom said that in stream-lining personnel "we tried as much as possible not to affect anything below management level", likening the personnel utility to the spokes of a wheel: "No

one in the program is any more important than anyone else.

Ramsbottom said he was not sure at this date if or how pro-gram and personnel stream-lining would impact on Didsbury hospital staff position but did say, "This is not done in cement- if we see a problem, we can make some

While some programs might be moved or axed, Ramsbottom said that new programs might be introduced.

"It's not all "take-away"," he said

Under the new regime, there will no longer be individual administrators representing each hospital in the region. Dennis Stabbler, former Director of Health Services at Didsbury District Health Services has already assumed a new position, that of Vice President for Program Planning and Business Development. Ramsbottom said he hoped the new structure would serve to make the region less territorial.

Now that we have your attention, we would like to tell you that the annual meeting of the Didsbury Community Bus Association slated for December 4 has been moved to December 5. The meeting is open to all interested parties and will be held at the Elks Hall commencing at

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Chief Electoral Officer

# **How healthy are Albertans?**

Jonson released the first Report the Health of Albertans Friday. "The purpose of this report is to inform Albertans about their current health and the fac tors that influence health," said Mr. Jonson.

The report indicates that while, Albertans enjoy good health, there is room for improvement. For example, there are no table differences between the 17 health regions in areas such as infant mortality and accidental death.

"We need to look beyond the traditional health sector to develop partnerships among professionals and organizations that can have an impact on our health," said Mr. Jonson. "With combined expertise, we have the capacity to develop new and innovative solutions to help us achieve our goals for health.

### Highlights from the report on the health of Albertans

Health Status
In general, Albertans enjoy good health compared with other Canadians. Albertans have one of the longest life expectancies among the provinces (81.4 years for women and 75.5 years for men, in 1994 as reported in the Alberta Health 1995-96 Annual Report.

The health status of Albertans appears to be related to social and economic factors, as well as geographic differences. Albertans in Calgary and southern areas are generally healthier than those in Edmonton and northern areas. Also, Albertans with more formal education, and those from higher income families report better health than do Albertans who have less education or who have less

The health of Alberta newborns is somewhat below the national average, as indicated by a higher infant mortality rate and a higher percentage of lower birthweight babies.

Albertans have relatively high rates of accidental death.

**Health Related Behaviors** 

Fewer Albertans smoke cigarettes now than in the past, although smoking among teenage girls has increased in recent years.

Most Albertans do not get sufficient physical exercise to benefit their health, and only about 50 per cent of Albertans have a body weight within the healthy range.

The incidence of sexually transmitted disease has decreased in

cent years. Most Albertans use seatbelts all or most of the time; however,

Most Albertans use seatbetts all or most of the time; however, very few cyclists (age 12 and over) wear helmets.

Many Albertans engage in appropriate health screening procedures that help detect health problems early, and almost 90 per cent of children at age two are appropriately immunized.

Social, Economic, and Physical Environment

Alberta ranks favorably (but not first) among the provinces in terms of advention and family income.

terms of education and family income.

About 21 per cent of Albertans report highly stressful lives;

wever, 87 per cent also report that they can rely on family and

friends when problems arise.

Food and water quality in Alberta is good, and there are relatively few cases of water and food borne diseases reported each year

The Report on the Health of Albertans will be updated periodically, making it not only a valuable monitoring tool on the health status of Albertans, but also a way of measuring the effectiveness of actions to improve and maintain health.

For copies of the report, please contact: Health Surveillance, Alberta Health, (403) 427-4518.

### Cuivert issue

By Elaine Wilson
County of Mountain View
council cleared time on the agenda of their November 19 meeting for a presentation by Town of Carstairs representatives to offer background information on an on-going drainage problem plaguing Carstairs administra-

Engineers from Lee Maher

Engineering, Carstairs Town Foreman Gerard Hollman and Mayor Bob Wilson formed the delegation which appeared before county council.

Jim Archer, a farmer with land just east of the Carstairs boundary, says his property is flooded annually, and has asked that the Town of Carstairs, which redirected the flow five years ago in

# unresolved

an effort to facilitate more effective land drainage, make further efforts to do something about water backing up at a culvert running under Hwy 581

All parties agreed the land is low and flooding has been a longstanding trait on these lands

The culvert has apparently heaved up at the ends forming a low "U" shape

Formerly the responsibility of Alberta Transportation, maintenance of this culvert is now a county concern. The Carstairs delegation requested that the county consider replacing or repairing the culvert. It was also suggested that a second drain in the form of a bored hole alongside the culvert sight be drilled.

County councillors asked why the problem had not been ad-dressed when the water re-direction project was undertaken. Carstairs spokesmen responded that the funds made available for the re-direction project did not include funding for culvert lowering or replacement.

It was moved by the county to accept information submitted by the Carstairs delegation as information only

# **Major exploration** program proposed

By Elaine Wilson

A joint proposal by Canadian Energy 88 and Western Geophysical was presented in outline form to County of Mountain View administration prior to last week's county council meeting. In ex-plaining the impact expected on the county to council, administration said that "Company rep resentatives indicate[d] that this may be the largest program of this nature ever undertaken, and [company] costs will be in the millions of dollars."

Work is tentatively scheduled to commence in the near future with completion scheduled prior to spring break up.

Coun. Ben Penner said "There

will be a lot of resistance by a lot of farmers in my area. There is a great deal of unhappiness with

the last crews who went through." Penner cited poor clean-up practices and damage to roadside edges where equipment damaged the road crust.

Coun Dave Derksen re-sponded, "Mr. Penner paints a gloomy picture," going on to say his experience with seismic crews in the recent past had been of a more positive nature.

Coun. Jack Peck suggested that recourse was available and that dissatisfaction could be documented and submitted to the

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# EDITORIAL / OPINIONS

### Acknowledging excellence



Didsbury's teachers are an eclec-bunch. Their areas of expertise and interest meander all over the map

Some are outdoorsy folk, spark ing interest in flora and fauna that (in the absence of their guidance and encouragement) their students might otherwise never have acknowledged as being worthy of further investigation

Some get a personal kick out of beating a personal best on a long dis-

tance run triggering emulation in physical perseverance, while others find a way to make Shakespeare relevant, or demonstrate that computers can be used for more than word processing, or even find the means to get students excited about physics (something I freely admit to being completely outside of my own frame of reference.)

The point is, many students acknowledge that their lifelong interest in music, the environment or drama dates back to the influence of one special teacher who saw a spark and ignited it.

Whoever that teacher might be, and whatever he or she did to inspire excellence, his or her methods and concepts have the power to motivate a life-long influence, opening up a new range of career choices and personal pursuits. While their impact may of career choices and personal pursuits. While their impact may not find its feet until many years hence, that impact is often dynamic to the degree that the life path of scores of indebted young adults is affected in positive ways.

Some might dismissively assert, "So what? That's their job."

That's what they get paid for.

This is true.

And to some teachers, it might indeed be a position of employment, no more no less. A paycheque in an age of chronic unemployment.

But to others, it is a calling and a profession to take pride in. I don't know of any other job that carries a higher ratio of repercussions for everything these individuals stand for and

So I applaud the concept of the Excellence in Teaching award. This prestigious honor is bestowed to 20 of Alberta's top teachers every May. Last year one of the 20 winners was our own Ron Tyler, an elementary instructor extraordinaire from

Nomination time has once again rolled around and the field is wide open. Didsbury is blessed with a wonderful roster of deserving recipients. It's up to you to get their names and deeds in front of panel of coordinators. The selection committee states that they are looking for "teachers who have used their creativity to establish stimulating education environments where learning is enhanced and students meet high stand-

In other words: teachers making a positive, lasting impact

on young minds.

Nominations will be accepted up to January 31, 1997. Parents, colleagues, volunteers, principals or any member of the public who knows of a deserving candidate may put that name forward by submitting nomination papers. To request a nomination package, the number to call is 422-9327. (Dial the Rite Number at 310-0000 to be connected free of charge.)

I wish there had been a contest like this when I was still in school. I can think of a couple of shoe-ins that never got the chance to step on the podium. But our teachers do have that chance. And we all know of several who belong there. Let's make sure Alberta Education and the sponsors backing the program hear from Didsbury. We've got some of the best in the province right here and I'm looking forward to interviewing our next winner.



# **Guest Editorial**

THOMPSON

Wild Rose MP

Reform Justice &

**Family Caucus** 

Member

### No private property allowed

As with all things in Canada, this Liberal government cannot keep their hands off private prop-

erty. No matter how much or how long Canadians have owned property, this Liberal government demands control of your private property. I have had enough

of the fabrications by this Prime Minister and his government stating Liberals want smaller government and less federal intrusion into the affairs of Canadians.

No piece of legis lation this Liberal government has passed since 1993 states the federal government will not interfere in the lives of law-abiding Canadians. Every piece of legisla

tion dealing with private property has a clause that gives this government or a minister the

power to confiscate without compensation, and, in fact, can allow government control with penalties to the property owner. I'm not talk ing about rifles and otguns here, talking about lives and livelihoods

Reform The member Yorkton-Melville's Bill, guaranteeing property rights was defeated, and I can give further exam

ples of government control and domination.

The Environment Minister stated his Endangered Species Act only dealt with federal lands, pri-

vate property was not included. Well, he tells fibs. His Act gives him the power with the stroke of a pen, to ban private land owners from use of their land if his handpicked scientists state any migratory bird is in danger. You've never heard the Minister say that, but, it is in his bill. Prairie farmers buy the seed, work their soil and reap the harvest, but, the federal government demands ownership of their product with the Wheat Board Act. What more proof do Canadians need to know the Liberals want to control everything?

Remember it was a Liberal government that forbid entrenchment of private property rights in the Constitution and it is a Liberal government that continually passes legislation that removes the rights of private property use and ownership from all Canadi-

By Lyle Keewatin Richards, Facilitator Aboriginal Community Planning Commissioner for Children's

Back in the days when Ray Laznick was Commissioner for ervices to children we did a public consultation and found people were generally concerned around four areas in regards to children services

First of all, there was a sense that policy and regulation are more important than people and that the community had very little influence over how or what services were delivered. Secondly services tend to be delivered only after the harm has occurred or the risk is great enough for the system to react. Kind of like closing the barn door too late. Then folks looked at how gov

ernment is currently working. It eems that many departments have their own programs that target children and youth, but they all seem to work alone. No integration.

Finally when you look at who is using the current system it becomes clear right away, with 52 per cent of children in care being aboriginal that there must be something awry in whatever programs are set up to service this population as we only represent 6 per cent of the population.

This is where the four "pillars" of the redesign of children serv came from: Community Based Services; Early Interven

tion; Integration; and Improved

Services to Aboriginals. Fine then, no-one really takes major exception to any of that. It makes good sense for the community to respond early enough to prevent harm to their children and for government departments to come together. But I know in eastern rural Alberta the aboriginal population is somewhat sparse or non-existent, so how does that goal apply here?

I think you will find it very interesting to know that past adoption practices of Child Welfare and current foster care agreements place a surprising number of native kids in rural Alberta. I am one of those adoptees. I think the reason people don't notice so much is not denial or racism, but rather a culture of acceptance My dad, the late Rev. Al Richards of Trochu, taught me from a very young age that people are just people no matter what their color, race or religion. And if kids are brought up in a good way, it doesn't matter where they are or what color they are they'll turn out okay

I think most people would gree and I think it explains why folks don't take special notice of these children. It's because we are just another part of the community. Or are we?

Our recent history is full of poverty, alcoholism, crime and family break down. That's why the children are with you in the first place. Before that, aborigi-

nal culture existed with its own language, religion and customs, back many thousands of years. Some say this identity is born in. Unfortunately aboriginal identity hasn't been nurtured well in the non aboriginal environment. While many children grow up this way and are fine, many others wonder about who they are and how they fit in. This may explain the extremely high adoption breakdown in mixed race adoption situations notably native/non

I think this is where communities can help those kids. Have a look around. I think you'll be surprised just how many native children are around you. I know I've come out of meetings where I've been told "we don't have any na-tives here," and see three playing basketball in the school yard. Or I've talked to aboriginal people who said "It was easier just to say I was Italian than admit to being an Indian."

Improving Services to Aboriginals seems like an obvious thing on the reserves or in the citie But let's not forget those kids who were not able to stay with their families and have been loved and cared for in your communities. They need some help in maintaining their idenas Aboriginal people as well. After that there are no values finer than rural values and these children can be given the gift of the best of both worlds



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# FROM THE MAILBAG

### Confidentiality maintained on voter list

Dear Editor:

I have enjoyed the opportu-nity over the past weeks to speak with Albertans to correct misconceptions about the Register of Electors. The Voters List and the Register of Voters will not be sold to telemarketers, pollsters, or others hoping to misuse the information. The Legislature has protected the information in the Register by providing for a \$100,000 penalty and the possibility of one year in jail for anyone using Regster information for anything other than electoral purposes. Administrative and electronic safeguards have been developed to ensure that this information remains confidential. Furthermore, the registered political par-ties of Alberta will follow standard principles and procedures to guard the Lists

The Lists given to politicians serve the democratic process. Candidates use these Lists to communicate with voters in conducting their campaigns. The Lists given to the candidates only contain names, addresses and pub-licly listed telephone numbers obtained with the voter's consent. Dates of birth, gender (at this time, gender is on the Federal Lists) and residency data are strictly confidential and shall be used only by Elections Alberta to maintain the Lists and the Regis-

ter. This data is not given to political parties or candidates.

Elections in Alberta are completed in four weeks - a very short period of time. Since telephones invented, numbers from published directories have been added to the Lists by candidates. Today in Alberta, where the aver age electoral division has 30,000 voters, looking up telephone numbers is time consuming and costly. As political parties are funded by public donations which are eligible for tax credits, there are tax dollar implications for every

Voters Lists are also a neces sary administrative tool. We must know who is eligible to vote and where they are eligible to vote. The poll books are required by the Courts in the case of a recount or any allegations of voter fraud. Albertans must be assured that their votes are counted properly and that elections are free, fair and honest.

Taxpayers should be aware that the Register is being developed to save tax dollars. Creating and updating a permanent List for use by all levels of govern-ment for the conduct of elections will result in a huge savings by eliminating the duplication of effforts seen previously, where each jurisdiction enumerated separately. By eliminating enumerations, Canada expects to save \$130,000 million in the next six general elections and Alberta will save \$15 million over the next 15 years.

Nor will confidentiality be sacrificed for fiscal gain. The Voters Lists will offer enhanced privacy, since Lists will no longer be ac-cessible by the public. The voter is the only person with access to his or her records. Voters Lists will not be used by criminals to pursue innocent victims - this unlikely probability has been grossly exaggerated.

I trust the good common sense

of Albertans. I trust Albertans will realize that the information maintained in the Register and on the Voters List is reasonable and will be treated with the respect and confidentiality it de erves. The sharing of information will result in savings to all of us and it was with that in mind that the Legislative Assembly of Alberta passed the amendments to the Election Act. I think it is good law and trust Albertans will agree with me.

Derm Whelan, Chief Electoral Officer



### Waterslide delay spoils Christmas

Dear Editor:

All this excitement about having a waterslide for Christmas is gone. I was going to take my family there - we all like sports. We may as well spend Christmas in Calgary and do our shopping too. I do most of my shopping right here, but most stores have already gone out of business. Why? Maybe because taxes are up - not because Didsbury has a pool but because of the renewing of the town office, which in my opinion,

we didn't need.

The pool is here already and we people are paying for the waterslide, not the tax money.

We bought two waterslide steps, one in my name, and one

in my grandchildren's name. I have family coming for Christ-mas. We were looking forward to it. Now, I guess we'll go to Calgary. It has spoiled Christ-mas for us.

Sincerely, Erika Casebeer

### Alternatives are available

To the cruel dog owner:

On our way back from Olds last Wednesday I was suddenly appalled to see a mother dog and her puppies dumped in the ditch off the 2A. I don't need to remind you of the amount of snow or the fact that there was a -30° windchill. How cruel you are! or the fact that there was a "30" windchill. Flow cruer you acc.
There are other means of "getting rid" of unwanted pets and may
I remind you it is only a short drive to the SPCA. Needless to say
my two year old son did not understand the concept...lucky you!

Karilyn L. Northcott

Box 760

### Open letter from MP to Senators

Dear Honourable Senators:

As your resume your analysis of Bill C-45 on Monday, November 15. I want to remind you of the millions of Canadians who signed petitions calling for the elimination of Section 745 of the Criminal Code. Section 745 al-lows convicted killers to apply for parole hearings after 15 years of a 25-year sentence.

As representatives of the Canadian people it is your duty to adhere to their wishes. Their message to you is loud and clear please reject Bill C-45 and ask for a total repeal of Section 745. The amendments that have been proposed in this Bill still allow killers the unjustifiable opportunity to apply for early release. This is not acceptable to me, nor to the Canadian people. Once again, re-peal is the only solution.

Approximately 600 convicts are soon going to become eligible to apply for judicial review. This is a problem that is not going to go away. By the end of the century the judicial system could face the possibility of one judicial review hearing per week

As you can see, the decision you make in the weeks ahead will have a tremendous impact on our judicial system for many years to come. Please take the time to consider all the repercussions of your final decision. Thank you for your considera-

tion of this matter.

Sincerely, Myron Thompson, M.P. Wild Rose Riding

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### DIDSBURY AQUATIC CENTRE

The Didsbury Aquatic Centre will be closed from November 18 - November 28, inclusive for its annual maintenance shutdown. We apologize for any inconvenience that this extended closure may create.

The library will be OPEN until 10:30 PM.
Hot chocolate and juice will be served.
There will be a "Book Sale" with lots of books.
Grandpa Don (Watt) will be telling stories at 7 PM.
and again at 9 PM. if possible.
"Project Read Soon" will be here with a display and
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Sidewalk Snow Removal:

### B.A.I.S BUSINESS ATTRACTION INFORMATION SYSTEM

BUSINESS ATTRACTION INFORMATION SYSTEM
The Town of Didsbury has joined with other
communities around Central Alberta to create a
business directory of all goods, services,
products and enterprises operating in our local
community and district. This information will
be made available on the Internet using a
province wide computer data base called the
Business Attraction Information System
(B.A.I.S.). Collection of the information is
well underway in Didsbury. For information
on this project, how to get your business listed,
or questions about the forms, please call
Denise Taylor at 335-3391

### Game misconduct penalty

Dear Editor:

The Premier must act immediately to curb the negative impact of VLTs on communities since the Minister, Steve West. refuses to even acknowledge the

Community leaders in Rocky Mountain House have banned VLTs in their town. The province has responded by indicating that any community not generating revenues from VLTs will have their lottery funds reduced.

The government's logic is flawed. There will still be lottery dollars available to cover costs for the Community Facility Enhancement Program (CFEP) and other lottery grant-supported initiatives for communities

Albertans should have the free-dom to abolish VLTs in their com-

munities without losing lottery dollars from their provincial gov ernment, Klein should encourage, not punish, communities that ban VLTs.

AADAC's own count has shown there are about 100,000 problem gamblers in Alberta. Small charitable and community organizations are suffering a loss in revenue as a result of these machines.

Clearly the societal cost of these machines is too high. Communities that take the initiative to stop the damage inflicted by VLTs should not be threatened by a Klein government addicted to gambling revenues.

Percy Wickman Alberta Liberal Gaming Critic

# The town of Didsbury's bylaw officer would like to remind all town residents and commercial property owners that there is a town bylaw requiring the snow to be removed from all sidewalks within 24 hours of a snow fall. While we understand the recent "dump" of snow has been a very difficult one to remove, we also want to point out that many people rely on walking at this time of year to get around town. Those people that have not cleared their sidewalks are making it very difficult and often dangerous for those people who rely on walking to get around. For the majority of property owners who have responded quickly to clear their sidewalks and in many cases their neighbors, we would like to extend a big Thank You. For those people that have not been able to complete the removal, please make that special effort to get it done before complaints result in fines and the cost of removal being assessed against owners. PHOTO CONTEST

Didsbury's Tourism and Economic Development Board is seeking an outstanding photo of Didsbury.

A Cash Prize will be awarded to the feature shot that captures "Didsbury". Photo may be taken from any angle or location of Didsbury.

The winning photo will be used in promoting the town Entries may be dropped off at the town office or maile Town of Didsbury, Box 790, Didsbury, AB. ToM 0W0 Entry deadline: November 29, 1996

The Town of Didsbury's Community Services Advisory Board Annual Art contest has now come to a close. Thank you to all who participated and all who voted. The three successful artists were: Laurie Winter - "Bitent Sundown". Elsie Archer - "Brave Hearts", Sarah Sabourin - "Toilet Toon"

# Lifestyles

# Behind every great painting stands a story

By Elaine Wilson

A novel event now showing at the Didsbury Municipal Library is the Three Generation Art Show featuring multiple artists' work and utilizing an assortment of styles.

Joyce Mullen, a Didsbury art-

ist herself, and a teacher of young area artists for almost three decades, has gathered a collection (unlikely to be duplicated in format) of her own work and that of her son and grandchildren for all to enjoy.

Visitors will find water colors,

Neglect: occurs when a person

consistently fails to provide ap-

propriate care to another result-

ing in a significant negative effect

porcelain painting, mixed media, colored pencil, pastels, oils, gouache and pencil. There are nature studies, "people" studies, seascapes and moonlit streams. But the jewel of the show is a composite work by five talented pairs of hands entitled "Joyce's

Choice". This painting was featured at the American Saddlebred display at the Spruce Meadows Masters in September. The art show's "composite" theme is alive here, in the fusion of numerous steeds seamlessly spliced into one image. The distinctive coloring below the fetlocks and the stance-unimpeded by saddle and rider- are only two of many notable elements attesting to the vision of the artists and the unbridled freedom of brush and canvas.

The story behind this painting is posted and visitors are invited to pause and pore over the conception and significance, savouring and studying the details at their leisure.

And like all arresting artistry, a story silently resonates from each piece on display. Gallery visitors know the allure (and the plain and simple fun) of studying a painting until finding one-self almost physically drawn into it, and in this collection opportunities abound for those such reverie.

Faces and places you'll recognize are here, but art lovers know there is a special magic in being transported into a setting conjured up from imagination and inner vision and that magic is here for all to enjoy.

for all to enjoy.

There is something here for everyone, and all are invited to visit the show in the west meeting room of the Municipal Library where the show will be on display until the end of December.

# **Call Community Wellness**

other person.

November is Family Violence Prevention month. Violence is a term that is used to describe many forms of abuse towards another person that results in someone getting hurt emotionally or physically. Relationships with family, among friends, or between coworkers are very special but sometimes these relationships result in a form of abuse. Different kinds of hurtful relationships that may occur include either one or a combination of the following.

Physical Abuse: is where an individual purposefully hits, punches or physically applies force to another resulting in bruis-

ing or injury.

Emotional Abuse: occurs when an individual always taunts, bullies, teases or verbally makes fun of another individual causing that person to feel stupid or worthless. Emotional abuse occurs over a long period of time undermining that person's self image and

self confidence.

Sexual Abuse: includes any form of unwanted touching, sexual advances, encounters or exploitation of one person by an-

If you or someone you know is experiencing any form of abuse as described it is important to speak to someone you trust or to call the Community Welness office at 235,0202

to the health of that person. 335-9393.

PAI Julie behi wing

# PAINT ON A GLASS CANVAS Julie Bergeson of Cremona was the artist behind the colorful creations on the windows of Don's World Travel and the new entrance to AG Foods. She will paint to order or create something unique in acrylic to reflect any season or occasion. Painting storefront windows

behind the colorful creations on the windows of Don's World Travel and the new entrance to AG Foods. She will paint to order or create something unique in acrylic to reflect any season or occasion. Painting storefront windows is something of a family tradition for Bergeson, who took over a year and a half ago from her mother, Bev, who recently retired her brush after an ex-tended period of local window painting. (Below) Henry Hama, Contemporary Graphic's resident graphic artist, can sometimes be coaxed away from his computer screen and back to his special artistic talent with a brush if the rewards (or threats) are compelling enough. Here he is pictured putting the finishing touches on a festive depiction of Santa sitting down to answer his Christmas letters. The Review reminds everyone (there is no age limit) to submit their own letters to Santa for publication in our Christmas edition.

# 5-0 Club news

By Anne Milne

The 5-0 Club is once again coming to the end of a busy and successful year. Many activities have taken place including pot luck dinners, cards, pool, carpet bowling, dances, craft sales, bus trips to various places, and the activities of the choir.

Floor curling and floor shuffleboard are being played at the Lawn Bowling Clubhouse.

The nomination committee will be gathering names for a slate of officers to be presented at the annual meeting in February. Please consider taking an active part in your organization. Membership now numbers over 200.

Crafters meet on Tuesday afternoons.

Choir practices Tuesday evenings.

Card players meet on Wednes-

day at 2 p.m.

Dances are held the first Fri-

day of the month.

Beltone and Maico hold hearing aid clinics, a podriatrist comes on a regular basis and blood pressure clinics are held. Please check the local papers for dates and times of these activities.

The Christmas pot luck is December 4 at 1 p.m. Turkey will be supplied. \$3.00 per person.





# o vou feel a draft in

By Pearl Craig
The Region Five Steering Committee for the Commissioner of Services to Children and Families is pleased to re-lease Lots of Hugs, the Region Five communities' draft Pre-liminary Service Plan for Chil-dren and Family Services. The plan was developed as part of the redesign of child and family services that is taking place throughout Alberta. Community feedback on the document

is being solicited.

Lots of Hugs reflects the words of more than 400 people, including 200 children, from across Region 5. Over the past year they have discussed a vision for children and fami-lies, what's working and not working in the current system and what would make things better. The results of the dis cussions have been compiled into the Preliminary Service Plan, Lots of Hugs. The docu-ment is a "work in progress." Community members are invited to read it and provide feedback to the Region 5 Steering Committee. Feedback will be incorporated into the docu-ment prior to its being forwarded to the provincial government for review at the end of December 1996.

Lots of Hugs talks about communities where children and families are valued and respected: where children and families are safe; where they are treated holistically; where they have easy access to a

range of integrated supports: where help is available early; and where aboriginal people are listened to in making deci-

sions for their children.

It is a key building block in making life better for 13,000 children in Region 5. Community members will continue to build upon it as the redesign enters phase two of planning for children - the more spe-cific Service Plan. This phase of planning will begin in January 1997 and will result in decisions relating to what where and how services will be provided. Community in-put will continue to be vital in this planning. The final phase of planning, and the appoint-ment of a Child and Family Services Authority, who will be responsible for overseeing the delivery of services to children and families, is targeted for early 1998.

The redesign of services for children and families is a government/community initia-tive launched in 1993. The aim of the redesign is to create a system for the delivery of serv ices to children and families that is community based, integrated, focussed on early intervention and includes services to meet the needs of aboriginal children and fami-lies. The initiative includes the departments of Family and Social Services, Justice, Health and Education. Planning for the redesign has been undertaken by community volunteers throughout Alberta spearheaded by a volunteer Steering Committee in each of 17 regions across the province, following the boundaries of health authorities.

Copies of Lots of Hugs, or

further information may be obtained by contacting the Region Five Steering Committee, c/o Office of the Commissioner of Services for Children and Families, Didsbury, Alberta, 335-9435.





## ROTHERT

# So....now what's to eat?

Sheryl Rothert, is a wife, a mother, and an advocate of healthy food choices with a B.Sc. B.Ed. in Home Economics. With more than a decade's worth of teaching experience, Rothert now offers tips and recipes for today's busy family.

I hope this DOESN'T find you still snowed-in or snowed-in again, but I thought this was the perfect recipe for the weather e've seen in the past couple of weeks. Most of the ingredients for this recipe are those that you've probably got on hand - if not, get them when you can! Thursday, November 14 was definitely a day to have a stocked-up pantry!

### All Snowed-In Stroganoff

2 lbs. Stewing beef

2 Tbsp. canola oil 1 can cream of mushroom soup, low-fat

1/2 c. dry white wine 1 med. onion, chopped fine 1 can sliced mushrooms Flour, salt, pepper, garlic

powder
Coat the beef chunks in seasoned flour and brown in the oil. Mix soup, wine, onion, and mushrooms in a casserole dish.

Cover with a tight-fitting lid and bake at 300F. for 3 - 4 hours. Serves 4 - 6 over rice or noodles with green beans or car-

Tip of the Week: To substitute for the wine, use cooking wine or juice such as white grape, apple, or pineapple.

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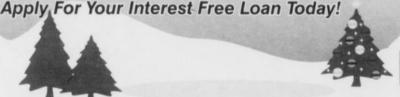
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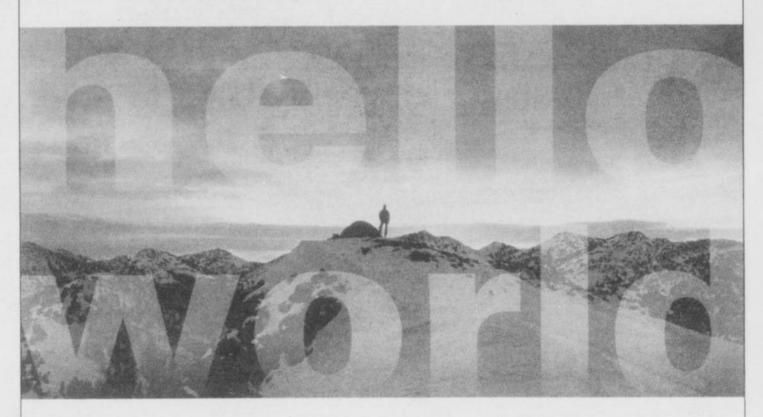








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### Colleg ncrease

Olds College is currently enjoying the best enrolment statistics any where throughout the provincial

post-secondary system.
"I am pleased to report that our enrolment growth exceeds 15 per cent over last year and that of any other post-secondary institution in Alberta," said President, Dr. Rob Turner. "I think it's a phenomenal accomplishment in light of the chal-lenges being faced by the post-secondary system these past few years."

Registrar Joan Fraser said as of the end of the first week of registration, the number of students in class climed to 15 per cent over what is generally expected.

Contributing to the upward trend are the roster of new courses and majors added to the academic calendar. "While not the sole factor for the rise, the Applied Degree in Horticulture Technology, Arboriculture Di-ploma, Garden Centre Certificate and Diploma, and Composting Diploma, did add a number of students to our regular intake this year, ser commended. "An additional intake to the Seed and Grain Technology Program also helped."

Manager, Campus Life, Alvin Moore says the increased enrolment has brought some exceptional student leaders this year through both the College's Students Assocition and Residence Council. "These two groups have pulled together innova-tive and exciting activities such as

Week." Moore comments, "Students also make a substantial impact upon

the economic well-being of the local community. It's truly a win/win situation for everybody.



# Didsbury Municipal Library news

New Arrivals: You III Wind by Piers Anthony; To the Hilt by Dick Francis; You III Wind by Piers Anthony; To the Hilt by John Le Carre; You III Wind by Piers Anthony; To the Hilt by Dick Francis; Third Twin by Ken Follett; Tailor of Panama by John Le Carre; Stormy Weather by Carl Hiaasen; Silent Honor by Danielle Steel; "M" is for Malice by Sue Grafton; Laws of Our Fathers by Scott Turow; Laughing on the Outside, the life of John Candy; Complete Beading for Beginners by Karen Rempel; House of Echoes by Barbara Erskine; Law of Love by Laura Esquivel; A Cup of Chicken Soup for the Soul by Jack Canfield plus many more books. more books

### Alberta Bison Association

Bison producers from across Alberta voted to rename their organization, formerly called the Southern Alberta Bison Association, to reflect the growth of their industry. The Alberta Bison Association (ABA) now has 200 members located in many areas of the province.

The ABA is working to build awareness of the indus-try, promote the nutritional benefits of bison meat, and

create a demand for the product. There are almost 700 producers and 35,000 bison in private herds in Canada. Industry growth is estimated at 25 per cent annually. It is expected there will be approximately 100,000 bison in Canada the turn of the century.

The Alberta Bison Association may be contacted by calling 1-800-683-6747.



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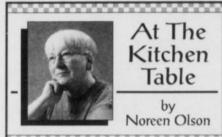
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### At The Kitchen Table

by Noreen Olson

I was in Junior High School the first time I saw a ball-point pen. Everybody had one and we smeared our way across French, English, Physics and Social Studies. I think we used pencils only for the Math subjects and in Home Ec. we sweated and bled over needles and zippers and flat felled seams that didn't require a pen. Now that I think of it I did once use a ball point in Home Ec. It was in an effort to help Nellie Marshall turn a drawstring. I got a big blob of ink on the fabric and she had to start all over again. Our friendship was less friendly afterward. When I started working in the Treasury Branch we were not allowed to use ball points because they were so messy and days after a number had been written it would still blur and smudge it's way across the page and onto our clothes and hands. Now, of course, we us ball points almost exclusively. What would we do without them?

And what would we do without plastic bags and cartons? Imagine cleaning up after a big dinner and having to put everything in glass bowls again. Glass bowls are a real menace in the deep-freeze. I put verything in plastic containers and then label them with masking tape. What would we do without masking tape? Nothing else removes cat hair from your couch like masking tape. What would we do without scotch tape? Could you wrap Christmas gifts without it? Before ice cream pails where did we keep cleaning supplies and cookies and how did we bring vegetables from the garden and pick Saskatoons and take lunch to the field and grain samples to the elevator? What did we do without Kleenex and toilet tissue and rubber bands and twist ties? Before those little compartmented pill boxes how did people remem-ber whether or not they had taken any or all of the scary cocktail that's brewed from their heart, water, vitamin, sleeping and blood pressure

The point, that I am making so laboriously, is that our lives are made er and better by some quite simple inventions. I think that there is room for a lot more of these and I hope that sometime soon they will be available. Entrepreneurs tell us that to achieve success we have to either recognize or create a need and then fill the need. If I can help some bright developer recognize the need and he or she fills it and becomes fabulously wealthy I hope they will remember where the idea came from and grant me my reward. If, on the other hand, someone puts a lot of time and money into this and it goes nowhere, I am really

orry about your problem. The world needs a static brush. This invention would snatch hair, dog and human) out of the air and off of any surface. Ideally it would be preprogrammed to move quietly from room to room and require only occasional cleaning and servicing. Microwave ovens are derful but we need an anti-micro to cool things really quickly. As I understand it a micro range works because the microwaves excite atoms and generate heat. If there were some way to utilize the power of my Uncle Bob who could bore people into a coma, (the family used to spell each other off so that no one person was ever actually bored to death). I think we could slow the atoms into a state of absolute zero. Uncle Bob is dead now but his stories linger on and surviving family members could repeat a few in the interest of Science.

We need a bio-degradable net that can be launched from a little gun to catch moths in your house, and a stronger net and gun to grab sparrows from the bird feeder and bats from the attic. I want a ceramic stone to drop in my soup and absorb salt, a lapel smoke detector that says, "the carrots are burning dry," or "the cookies are done". I want a stencil kit that I can lay on the hood of a car and spray (washable of course), "Why have you taken two parking places you creep?" I want a boot cleaner, especially in museums and theatres, that brushes off the excess snow and mud and then dries your feet with a blast of hot air. I want self cleaning light fixtures and slipless fitted sheets. Kleenex that comes out of the washer in one piece and sugarless, low fat ice cream that does not taste like pond scum.

Well that ought to keep somebody busy for a bit. Let me know when

the royalties start to come in.

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**January is back-to-school time**For many Mount Royal College students, "back-to-school" is also

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es in the winter 1997 semester begin January 6, 1997.

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# Southwest Didsbury

**ECKSTRAND** 

to Dicky and Dellis Leaver who vere pleasantly surprised on their 25th wedding anniversary. On Sunday, November 17, about 60

people gathered at the Evangelical Mission-ary Church for a party in their honor. Daughter Shirley arranged for the open

Present for the occasion were their family of daughter Shirley and son Rodney. Also Dickie's brothers Peter and wife Alvina of Drumheller; their

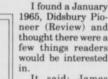
son, Tom and wife, Pam and new daughter, Samantha; Tony and wife Linda and family and one sister Roule Whitlow and daughter Karen; sister Cecilia and Pat and family of Hill River were unable to attend.

Dickie's father, Tony Didsbury attended. Dellis's Tony, of Betty, and her husband Gary Kelsey of Carstairs along with Dellis' brother, Maurice also attended. Everyone enjoyed visiting, taking pictures and wishing the couple many more happy years

Belated congratulations to Linda McGhee of Didsbury and Allen Clark of Cremona, who were married August 23 at the Congregational Church. Rev. Frank Cummins performed the wed ding nuptials. Dinner was served by the Cremona Caterers at the emona Hall for about 20 guests.

Present for the occasion was Allen's sons Wade (best man) and wife Cathy and family of Carstairs and Larry and wife Ann of Lake Louise and Linda's daughter, Evelyn McGhee of Vancouver (bridesmaid).

After dinner everyone gathered at the bride and groom's home in Cremona for a lawn party. evening and getting acquainted. Several area folk attended and enjoyed the festivities



It said: James Currie - Editor and Publisher; Foreman - Denny Sinclair.

The new Knox United Church held

its official dedication. Opening service on January 6. The opening was supposed to be in December but because of the extremely cold weather it was postponed until January 5. Apparently by then the weather still had't im-proved much. Very cold.

Birth - On January 5, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Felker of Carstairs had a new son, James

An advertisement for Johnny's Lucky Dollar Store listed Colgate's economy size toothpaste at 99 cents. Campbell's Food Store and Premier Meats, owned by Beth and Ray Campbell advertised the following: Bread 5/\$1, Lard 5 lbs./\$1, Bacon l lb. 49 cents, Bologna 1 lb. 29 cents

The train schedule brought back memories: C.P.R. schedule Northbound - Daily Train, No. 301 - 9:23 a.m.; No. 303 - 2:38 a.m.; No. 305 - 7:23 p.m. Southbound - Daily Train, No.

304 - 11:26 a.m.; No. 302 - 4:06 a.m.; No. 306 - 8:36 p.m.

Under the professional serv ices listing was: Lawyer Lynch Staunton, L.L.B., Barris-ter, Solicitor and Notary Public, office 335-3244.

In my own column, printed nearly three decades ago, known then, as now: Southwest Didsbury Bessie Eckstrand - A number of district young folks were home for the Christmas holidays. Donna Dippel, Medicine Hat; Sharon Hunsperger, Edmonton; Allen Meyer of Edmonton; Norma Befus of Calgary; Jean and Ron Levagood, River Forest, Illinois,

Under the For Sale section: Reiber Bros - For Sale - a new bungalow, 2 bedrooms, new stove and fridge, price \$10,000; Folkman's Clothing - January Clearance; Slipp's Drug Store, Super Plenamins, 90 day supply, \$4.98; J.V. Berscht & Sons, 2 suits for \$129.80; Leeson's Hardware, toys 30% off

Dr. Ian Miller delivered the first new years baby, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wiebe of Didsbury.

There were quite a few area correspondents at that time, covering several areas: Westerdale notes; Cremona News, Southwest Didsbury, Springside notes, Melvin notes.

I've never seen the trees and shrubs so very beautiful, so full of snow - a lot of pictures have been taken - only prob-lem - limbs have broken off. Do hope the weather improves in the next week.





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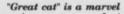
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How about have a special Sunday dinner with family and friends? Then have we got just the place for you! The Didsbury High School Bands will be hosting their annual Christmas Dinner Concert on Sunday, December 8 at the Westglen Middle School Gym. Students from grades 9, through 12 will be presenting a top quality Christmas concert for the entire family. Music teacher Todd Klein, is once again presenting a show to make your Sunday afternoon extra special. The program includes a fabulous roast beef dinner put on by the band parents. The buffet dinner begins at 12 noon, and the band concert is slated to begin a 1 p.m. Tickets for this dinner concert are available at the door -- Adults \$8 and children 12 and under \$5 -- a great deal that includes both dinner and entertainment! Bring your

that includes both aimer and entertainment: Bring your friends, neighbors, and family to hear some of the best Christmas band music there is in our community. "The students have been working on this music since the beginning of November," Klein said. "The music played will include Christmas songs, music from the musical stage show 'Les Mis', is a part and centemporary concert hand music." jazz and contemporary concert band music.



Pets can be a great source of enjoyment, comfort and fun. So it is with, "Marvel", an 'accidental' but treasured pet. If you were to visit Emmor and Joan Gasser you would be met by "Marvel", their 18½ pound cat, ready to play. Two and a half years ago Marvel was found beside their house, a tiny kitten that barely fit into the palm of your hand. Emmor and Joan believed it was a miracle they found him before he perished, hence he was named Marvel. Marvel is a gentle spirited cat with a sense of humor, he loves to take the fridge magnets off the fridge, take Joan's gloves out of her purse when it is left open and opens all cupboard doors. Not many cats play fetch, but what he enjoys most is a game of "fetch ball" with Emmor. With a quick scamper he returns the ball to Emmor's feet. Marvel occupies a very special place in the home and hearts of Emmor and Joan, he is known as the "Great Cat".



# aces

a brief glimpse at the people and events in our community

### Third annual Farmers' Bonspeil

Farmer's Bonspeil chairman, Ray Hannah is looking forward to the biggest and best-everspeil to date. Any team combination (men, ladies or mixed) is welcome, providing all curlers are from the farming community. The popular sporting event will run from January 7 through 11, 1997. Saturday night is the wind-up banquet and dance. The entry deadline is December 20 and and the person to contact for registration is Neil Youngs at 335-4496. Early entry is urged as the bonspeil is traditionally a sell-out. "Come on out to have a good time," Hannah said, "That's what it's all about."



Meet The Councillor night

Circle Thursday November 28 on your calendar and start drafting a list of questions you'd like to put to your elected town representative. Meet The Councillor night, hosted by Coun. Gary Dolha and Coun. Dorothy Anderson-Moore will be an informal one-on-one session. Got a question about snow removal? The waterslide? Street lighting? Urban planning? Garbage removal? Fis-cal concerns? Bring your questions and your neighbor to council chambers

Thursday night from 7 to 8:30 p.m. At press time the names of councillors available to attend was not complete, but all concerns will be heard. "The coffee will be on," said Gary Dolha, who is looking forward to hearing what Didsburians have to share.



Recruitment under way

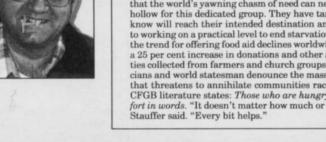
Before ever setting foot on his new beat, Cst. Morley Lippai was "volunteered for duty" by Sgt. Ray Gaultier as the local RCMP liaison for the fledgling Volunteer Advocate program now being launched in Didsbury. But Lippai didn't mind; he has prior experience in the process and is already active locally. In the past week he and Victim Services coordinator Laura Borgerson have met with several interested persons seeking volunteer positions as advocates in a program they hope to make viable on a local level. The mandate of the Victim Services Program is to provide hands-on assistance, support, informa-



tion and access to referral services to vic tims of crime and tragedy in areas served by RCMP detachments in Didsbury, Olds and Sundre. The Sundre contingent is up and running, but expansion calls for new advocates to enlist with the program to serve the need of all communities in the region. Volunteers must be willing to serve eight hours of their time per month. All training is provided, and suc-cessful applicants are asked to sign a contract indicating commitment of one year in the program. Those interested in learning more about the program are invited to contact Cst. Lippai at the Didsbury detachment. Grain drive scheduled

November 30 is the day. Nine a.m. to 12 noon the time. The local Alberta Wheat Pool is the place. The participants are local farmers gear-ing up to donate grain to what has become an annual local event- The Canadian Foodgrains Bank grain drive. The grateful recipients are residents of many nations to whom food has become something approaching a luxury item. "The Canadian Foodgrains Bank probably has the highest ratio of food actually getting to the peo-ple it was intended to reach," local CFGB spokes-man Willard Stauffer said. With a 95 percent delivery guarantee rate, the three per cent administration cost is maintained as a direct result of a strong and committed volunteer bank com-

prised of 13 Canadian church partners. The widespread sentiment that the world's yawning chasm of need can never be mastered rings hollow for this dedicated group. They have tangible goods that they know will reach their intended destination and they are committed to working on a practical level to end starvation around the globe. As the trend for offering food aid declines worldwide, the CFGB projects a 25 per cent increase in donations and other agricultural commodities collected from farmers and church groups across Canada. Politi-cians and world statesman denounce the massive state of starvation that threatens to annihilate communities racked by despair, but as CFGB literature states: Those who are hungry do not find any comfort in words. "It doesn't matter how much or how little is donated,"





### Canadian Red **Cross launches**

The Canadian Red Cross has lauanched a nation-wide appeal for funds to support relief operations in Zaire.

The most recent fighting in Zaire has sparked a flood of refugees to the relative safety of Mugunga Camp near Goma. Overnight, Mugunga's population swelled to more than 400,000 people - almost half the population of Calgary. The exhausted refugees, who fled on foot with few or no personal belongings, are in desperate need.

tional and having relief shipments flown in every day to the says Claude Rioux, a delegate from Banff who recently returned from Goma. Rioux is now on standby to return to the region to join eight other Canadian Red Cross delegates working with the International Red Cross to deliver food, shelter, water, sanitation and medical services to more than 800,000 refugees in five camps.

People in southern Alberta wanting to help the refugees in Zaire can make financial dona-

Canadian Red Cross or by calling 1-800-565-GIVE (4482). Please

make your cheque payable to: Canadian Red Cross - Central Africa Appeal. 100 per cent of funds donated to Red Cross will be used exclusively for Central Africa re-

Crohn's mpaign sease

Crohn's disease and Ulcerative Colitis are chronic diseases of the digestive tract. They tend to hit victims in the prime of their lives, usually between the ages of 15 and 35, although children under the age of 15 are being diagnosed with increasing regularity

Alberta hosts a large portion of the world renowned research into

Crohn's disease and Ulcerative Colitis funded by the CCFC. The Foundation has awarded over \$6 million since 1979 to the Universities of Calgary and Edmonton. The CCFC's ongoing program commitment for 1996-99 to Alberta researchers is over \$650,000.

The CCFC is a non-profit voluntary medical research foundation. Its mission is to find the cure for Crohn's disease and Ulcerative Colitis. The CCFC provides education programs for vic-tims, their families, health professionals and the general pub-lic. The Foundation is the largest funding body for inflammatory bowel disease research in

# RELIGION

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Pastor,

Bergthal Mennonite Church

From the warmth and comfort of my favorite chair I can see it, standing alone. Standing against all of the bitterest that the elements of nature can subject it to. With all of its majestic splendor

stripped away. From all evidence, without

It has been a diffi-cult year for this oncestately poplar. The possibilities of re-newed life had just begun to emerge when the chinook winds of spring arrived. Those winds of change seemed to want to focus their energy on this one

tree, like wolves on the prowl singling out the old and the frail. And the winds prevailed. At the height of ten feet, the trunk which had borne the weight of so much responsibility snapped in half. "Rotten to the core," was the comment of some observers, "probably bugs". And a history of life and health and growth and purpose was forgotten. "It's dead," and "I guess someone will have to clean

Except that the wisest refused to acknowledge that the end had come. Where the adults saw death the children saw possibilities. The green leaves provided perfect camoflage for a fort. And when the leaves dried off, there were fallen limbs to climb. Branches were transformed into swords and weiner sticks and smoking magic markers which when waved left intricate patterns in the night sky.

The possibilities were only as limited as the time allowed to dream them up.

And then, inevitably, the morticians arrived to drag away the toppled carcass Leaving only ten feet of trunk. In the very middle of summer, bare and without form

Except that, like the children, the tree itself refused to ac-cept its own mortal-

ity. By the time the fall winds arrived, new growth had begun to spring forth. All gangly and random in terms of appearance, but growth nonetheless

And now this tree stands bare.



From all evidence, without life. From the comfort of my chair I sit and wonder what possibilities of significance the future holds for this resilient friend, or myself.

The experience of this poplar is played out over and again in our lives. Despite the significance of our past, there comes times when adversity tugs at the very fibre of our lives. And sometime

we topple. We make mistakes. We give up when we should have gone on. We pursue dreams that ere only illusions. And there are many who are quick to give up on us, believing that the end is near.

Jesus said, "I have come that they may have life, and have it abundantly" (John 10:10). The wise among us will continue to believe that life is always mean-

ingful, and that new growth is always possible despite failure. And even when no life is evident, we will continue to believe in the ssibilities because the source of all life is found through Christ in us. Until we have breathed our last, let us agree not to give up on ourselves or each other, but instead believe that in Christ there is abundant life for all of us.

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### ALBERTA AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

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### Cereal grain storage

By Greg Urichuk Crop Specialist - Cereals and Oilseeds Alberta Agriculture, Drumheller office

Harvest 1996 was not one of our average harvests. Many of you were able to get a good majority of your crop off dry, but some came off a little tough. The following article will give you an idea as to how long storage of that tough grain will stay in the bin or pile before spoilage begins to occur. In cereals, loss of quality and

quantity during storage is caused by fungi, insects, rodents and mites. Respiration, may in certain cases, contribute to a loss of dry matter during grain storage. wever, the losses due to respiration are minor compared to those caused by living organisms.

Fungi (molds): are the major cause of spoilage in grain. Losses caused by fungi in cereal grains are related to:

- A decreased germination
- Discoloration of seed
- 3. Heating and mustiness
- Biochemical changes

5. Possible production of toxins 6. Loss in dry matter All these changes may occur without the moulds becoming vis-ible to the naked eye. There are two groups of molds that affect grain quality, field molds and stor-age molds.

Field molds invade kernels while the grain is still in the field. The field molds cause the discoloration of cereal grains often observed in plants exposed to very moist weather before harvest. In addition to affecting grain appearance, field molds may cause a de crease in the germination of the grain seeds

Field molds damage is completed by the time the grain is harvested, and there is, therefore, relatively little that a producer can do about it. Once the grain is dried, these molds die or become

Storage molds are prevalent in storage facilities when the grain moisture content is too low for field molds (less than about 20 per cent). The moisture and temperature requirements of these

molds determine the safe storage period. By controlling moisture content and temperature, molds growth is restricted and grain can be dried without significant spoilage. Grain temperature and moisture content determine the allowable storage time or how long grain can be kept before it spoils. Figure 1 gives an estimate of how much time you have to dry grain before it spoils and how long you can maintain grain quality in stor-

Notice that as grain moisture content increases for a given temperature, the allowable storage time for drying and storage de-creases. Also, as temperature increases, allowable storage time decreases. Mechanical damage to grain and the amount of foreign material also affects storage time Clean grain and whole seeds are more resistant to molds.

For long term storage grain should be dried as soon as possible after it comes from the field. A delay decreases the allowable storage time as show in the following

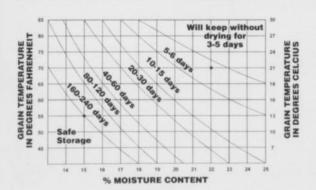
examples: 1. Grain at 22 per cent mois ture and a temperature of 21°C (70°F) will have approxi-mately 7 days before it spoils

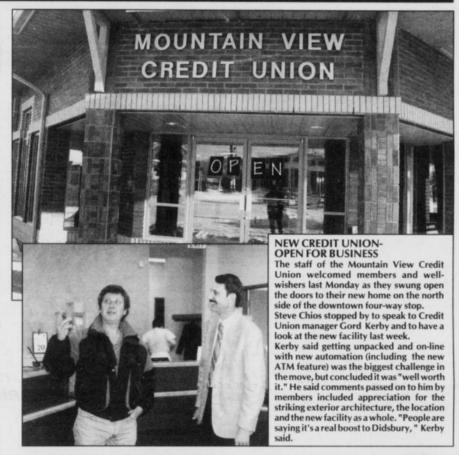
2. After 5 days the same grain is dried to 15 per cent moisture and a temperature of 13°C (55°F). Only 2/7 of the remaining safe storage time remains at 15 per cent and 55°F and safe storage is 240 days, with 2/7 of the safe storage remaining. (240 x 2/7=69

Therefore total safe storage for the grain in example 1 left 5 days before drying would be only 69 + 74 days compared to the 240 if it was dried immediately after harvest

Have a look at the chart to see what your temperature and grain moisture was. From that you should be able to see how long safe storage of your crop in the bin or in a pile will be.

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C1 Heiferettes 56 to 74; Feeder ws 42 to 56.

Grain fed and exotic 42 to 48: Medium flesh cows 36 to 41

Older cows 33 to 36; Holstein cows 33 to 44. Bologna bulls 38 to 45; Feeder

bulls 40 to 69. REPLACEMENT CATTLE:

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400 lb. Steers 78 to 1.01; Heifers 65 to 79.

500 lb. Steers 78 to 96.50; Heifers 65 to 80.

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600 lb. Steers 78 to 91.25; Heif-

ers 74 to 82. 700 lb. Steers 78 to 87; Heifers

800 lb. Steers 80 to 87: Heifers

74 to 85 900 lb. Steers 80 to 87; Heifers

75 to 85. 1,000 lb. Steers 80 to 87; Heif-

ers 75 to 84. Bred cows 610 to 940; Bred heifers 760 to 940. DAIRY BARN:

Baby bull calves 10 to 30 with larger calves 60 to 180.

Baby heifer calves 10 to 40 with larger calves 50 to 140. HOG DIVISION:

Weiner pigs 25 to 40. Small feeders 42 to 65; Larger feeders 70 to 105.

Sows and gilts 180 to 260; Boars 100 to 200.

SHEEP & GOATS:

Ewes 40; Feeder lambs 80; Nannies 55; Billies 70. FEED:

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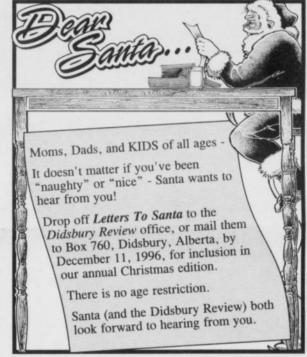
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per lb. 500 - 600 lb. average .86 - .95

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500 - 600 lb. average .75 - .84 per lb.

600 - 800 lb. average .78 - .83 ner lh

YEARLING STEERS: 600 - 700 lb. average .84 - .90

per lb 700 - 750 lb. average .85 - .92 per lb.

800 - 850 lb. average .85 - .90

900 - 950 lb. average .83 - .88 per lb.

950 - 1,010 lb. average .83 - .85 ner lh

YEARLING HEIFERS: 700 - 800 lb. average .79 - .87

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policy. "Every home should have some.

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### 120 - LIVESTOCK

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Career Opportunity: Individuals interested in providing support to mentally and physically challenged adults in the community can send resumes to Accredited Supports to the Community, Box 3940, Olds, ABT4H 1P6. Compe tition#R.49. Closing date December 6/96. Approximately 22 hours/ veek. First Aid and CPR required. Class 4 licence an asset. 33-2to

PARTS PERSON REQUIRED for central Alberta agricultural dealer. Bonuses, health plan available. Farm experience an asset. Resume to: Box 104, Rimbey, AB, TOC 2JO. Fax 403-783-5757

### 210 - EMPLOYMENT **OPPORTUNITIES**

WANTED: Millwrights and heavy duty mechanics, full-time positions, sawmill in High Prairie, Alberta. Single temporary accommodation available. Fax resumes to: Greg Buchanan, 1-403-523-5422

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WANTED one service manager, one parts manager, one mechanic for progressive rural Chrysler dealership. Call 403-854-3141, fax 403-854-2845. Mail to: Hanna Chrysler, Box 578, Hanna, AB, awna1-48 NORDIC FORD, growing dealership in Burns Lake, B.C. has openings for qualified service technicians. Ford experience is an asset but not a requirement. Burns Lake is located in the heart of the Lakes District which boasts 3000 miles of fishing. Contact Rod McLeod, Dealer Principal at 250-692-3320 (fax), 250-692-7165 (phone) or send resume to: Box 1299, Burns Lake, B.C., V0J 1E0.

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### 210 - EMPLOYMENT **OPPORTUNITIES**

### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

The Olds Agricultural Society is currently taking applications for the position of Secretary-Treasurer. The successful candidate will manage the Society's office, including correspondence, financial records, telephone duties and other related duties.

The successful candidate will have computer skills, including a knowledge of Simply Accounting, good telephone and interpersonal skills, and a demonstrated ability to work with an elected volunteer Board. Knowledge of Agricultural Societics and the Fair Industry, while not a requirement, would be considered an asset.

This position would require 30 hours per week with occasional evening meetings. Please reply prior to November 30th, in strict confidence, including resume and salary expectations to:

Olds Agricultural Society c/o Pete Van Tighem, President P.O. Box 928 Carstairs, Alberta TOM ONO

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pails, etc. 403-335-3988. 33-1tp

### 410 - NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS and claim ants. Estate of Paul Andrew Jenson, of Alder Flats, Alberta died on October 15. 1996. All persons having claims must file full details with Crossley and Crossley, Box 1108, Rocky Mountain House, AB, T0M 1T0 by Dec. 16, 1996. awna2-48 50 YEARS of Power. Rural Electrification Associations, at their February 1997 Annual Meeting, are celebrating 50 years of power. Pioneers contributing to the building of the rural electrical systems will be honoured. If you know of an individual who should be recognized, please contact the Pioneer Committee, Federation of REAs, #165 Seneca Road, Sherwood Park, AB, T8A 4G6. Phone 403-417-3396, Fax 403-417-3398. awna1-48

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### 540 -FOR RENT

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For Sale: 1981 VW Diesel Rabbit for parts. Rear end damage, excellent motor, drivetrain, wheels, tires, interior, front sheet metal. \$800 OBO. 1989 Ford Festiva. Needs engine rebuilt/replaced. Excellent commuter car at 45-50 MPG. \$600 OBO. Call Didsbury 335-3527.

### 610 - TRUCKS

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33-2tp For Sale: Large model railway with landscaping rolling stock, etc. - unfinished

### 710 - WANTED

project - wife says get rid of it - offers.

WANTED TO BUY: Extra cab or crew cab, diesel. 1-604-371-2129.awna9-48

### 720 - AUCTIONS

GUN AND SPORTS Auction, Dec. 5, 1996, 6:30 p.m. Hand guns, commemoratives, old and new guns. Grunow's Auction, 5 miles west of Wainwright. 403-842-3162, fax 403-842-6696. awna1-48

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### 810 - BIRTHDAYS

Jeanne: Roses are red, violets are blue, In seventeen days, It's old age for you. Luv, The Committee 33-1tp



### 820 - COMING EVENTS

INSTANT RANCHER RAFFLE - 1st prize 50 bred heifers, Tickets \$50, Visa/ MC/cheque payable to: E.I. AG Society, Brooks, AB, T1R 1B9. Draw December 31/96. #R129112. 403-362-2262. 403-362-2279. awna1-48 Community baby shower in honor of Gavin Ty, son of Sheila Moeller and the late Tyson Van Tighem on Tuesday, December 10, 7:30 p.m., Carstairs Community Hall meeting room. Pot luck. The family of David Jenkins would like to invite family and friends to help celebrate his 90th birthday. Please join us at an Open House at the 5-0 Club Sunday, December 1 from 2 to 5 p.m. Your presence is gift enough. 33-1tc

### 830 - CARDS OF THANKS

To our many caring friends! Our grateful thanks to you all for your expressions of sympathy and love toward us in our sad time. All of your wonderful cards, gifts of food, phone calls and visits meant so much. We feel so blessed. The Lord bless you – each one!

Warmly.

Harry, Carolyn & Angela Johnson Doug, Colleen & Kim Snyder

Valita, Brian, Lavina & Andrew Oldridge 33-1tr

This is to thank everyone who was there for me when Bill passed away so suddenly. Especially my neighbors Harry Reese and Donna Block. Also my little granddaughter, Terry Lynn who cried with me. Also the Didsbury Fire Dept. for their quick response and their kindness. Also the lady who answered the emergency phone. It takes a special person to answer such a summons. Also all my friends and neighbors, Doctors Wray and Graff and the ambulance boys coming so quickly. God bless you all.

Emily Morton and family 33-1tp

1 - 4 x 6 Walk-in cooler; 1 - 1980 Honda 750, 37,000 original km; Overhead doors, 2 - 12 x 12, 2 - 12 x 14, offers? Fountain Tire, Didsbury, 335-3646. 12-tfnc OLYMPIC BUILDING SYSTEMS your fully engineered approved agricultural commercial building supplier. Buildings custom designed to your needs and area conditions. See us at the Red Deer Agri Trade Show, Nov. 6 - 9. For information package call 1-800-426-0459, awna1-48 SNEED MONEYS call 403-452-5858, Immediate approval. Debt consolidation, farm, acreage, city, home and mobile purchase. Interim financing. Consoli-

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### 830 - CARD OF THANKS

The family of Frances Sinclair thank God for the life given to us to care for, for many years, but there are those who went above and beyond and we would like to thank those wonderful people for all your expressions of kindness at the recent death of my dear mother and grandmother. Yourthoughtfulnes of phone calls, cards, flowers, food and visits were be yond words and for that we humbly thank each one of you. Special thanks to Dr. James for the house calls and prompt attention in urgent matters, to the Ambu lance staff for all of their caring support over the years, to special neighbors Chuck and Delores Topping for all of their love shown to Frances for many, many year to home care, to special friend Ted Scheuerman for all of the kindnesses shown to Frances, to Joan Shock for all of your support and for helping me day and night with mom during declining health both at home and in the hospital, to the staff at Didsbury and District Health Services for ongoing support during her stay in the Pallative Care room and for always finding the time to come and help when things seemed so hectic, to Redeemer Lutheran Church for all of your support shown to me during the lengthy illness of Frances, to Moms wonderful phone buddies who continued to phone throughout sickness, to Paula for your special gift with the flowers, to Anderson Expl. for your constant support, to Rev. Rob Mohns, to all who helped with the funeral, to Mountain View Funeral Chapels and especially Ed, to long time Dr. Benton, to Bob and my wonderful Regner family for constantly being there for me, to my children for pitching in so much this past year and understanding when I was never there, and to all those who have kept us in the prayers. God bless each one

### Mothers Never Die -

They Just Keep House up in the Sky By Helen Steiner Rice

When we are children, we are happy and

And our MOTHER is young and she laughs as we play,

Then as we grow up, she teaches us truth And lays life's foundation in the days of our youth -

And then it is time for us to leave home But her teachings go with us wherever we roam.

For all that she taught us and all that we

When we were so often just a "bad, little kid"

We will often remember and then realize That MOTHERS ARE SPECIAL and WONDERFUL WISE.....

And as she grows older, we look back and love

Knowing that MOTHERS ARE "GODS GIFTS FROM ABOVE," And when she "goes home" to receive her

reward
She will dwell in GOD'S KINGDOM and

KEEP HOUSE for THE LORD"
Where she'll "light up" the stars that shine

through the night
And keep all the moonbeans "sparkling

And keep all the moonbeans "sparkling and bright" And then with the dawn she'll put the

darkness away

As she "scours" the sun to new brilliance

As she "scours" the sun to new brilliance each day.....

dry tears of sorrow, for MOTHERS

They just move in with GOD and "KEEP HOUSE IN THE SKY."
And there is GOD'S KINGDOM, MOTH-

ERS watch from above To welcome their childen with their UN-

DYING LOVE! With love, Linda, Bob, Tara, Michael and Mark Regner 33-1tc

### 840 - OBITUARY

Sinclair - Frances Evelyn Sinclair was orn February 17, 1912 at the General Hospital in Calgary, Alberta to Pearl and William Smith. She was baptized and confirmed at Central United Church in Calgary, Alta. Frances went to McDougall, Central High and Western Canada High School in Calgary. She was a very bright child and graduated from Hendersons Business College in Calgary at the age of 16 years. For many years Frances cleaned Street Car #14 for her father Bill Smith. That street car can still be seen today at Heritage Park in Calgary. Frances married Private Frederick Borden Sinclair of the Canadian Armed Forces on December 18, 1946. They homesteaded at Fenn, Alta. where Frances was employed for some time as the local telephone operator. They resided in Fenn, AB., St. Albert, Barrhead, Red Deer, Calgary and finally in Didsbury. AB. While in Didsbury, Frances worked for many years as a housekeeper at the Didsbury Auxiliary Hospital until her retirement in 1972. Frances was prede ceased by her husband Frederick Borden Sinclair in 1980, her daughter Sandy in 1992, her infant son William in 1948, her mother Pearl Smith in 1961, her father Bill Smith in 1971, her brother Bill Smith Jr. in 1972, her sister Helen Rockhill in 1989. sister-in-law Bessie Weeks in 1982, brother-in-law Frank Sutherland in 1983, sister-in-law Clara Sutherland in 1988 and brother-in-law Allen Sinclair in 1994, and cousin Lawrence Reid in 1996. Frances was the last surviving member of her family. Frances came to know her Lord again this past year. She is now safe in the arms of Jesus out of all her suffering and agony forevermore. Frances is sur vived by her loving daughter Linda Regner and son-in-law Bob Regner. Also dear to Frances were her grandchildren, Lorelei Wilson, Phillip Orritt, Jo-Ellen Orritt, Cory Orritt, Ben Orritt, and Jeffrey Orritt all of Westbank and Kelowna, B.C., Tara Regner, Mark Regner, and Michael Regner of Didsbury. Great grandchildren, Alecia, Jennifer, Hailey and Kaitlan, Jared and Braydon, all of Westbank and Kelowna, one sister-in-law Irene Sinclair of Eastend, Saskatchewan and a host of very special loving and loyal friends. Funeral services were held at Redeemer Lutheran Church on Friday, November 22 at 2 p.m. Memorials may be given to: Redeemer Lutheran Church Sunday

### 850 - IN MEMORIAM

McNeil - In loving memory of our dear husband, father and grandfather, Robert, who passed away November 26, 1987. "Time slips by,

But memories stay,

Quietly remembered every day." Always remembered by wife Bernice, Roberta, Gary, Fred, Randy, Terry and families. 33-tm

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### 880 - BIRTHS

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Sawyer and Shallaine are pleased to welcome their new cousin Gavin Ty, born Nov, 11. Proud parents are Sheila Moeller and the late Tyson Van Tighem. Delighted grandparents are Burke and Barb Moeller, Pete and Allaine Van Tighem. Great grandmothers, Barbara Fairhead and Nana. 33-1tp

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# Sports and entertainment

# **Pool splashings**

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Half price admission during Midnight Madness

December is going to be fun, fun fun! For the first time since opening, the DAC will be open for

the full month of De cember and we are all looking forward to it. Lots of special events are being planned, special fees will be in place, and aquacizers can all stay in shape right up until Christ mas because we will be open.

The fun will begin on Friday, November 29 with extended

hours for the Didsbury Chamber of Commerce annual Midnight Madness. The pool will be open from 6 - 11 p.m. so shoppers can drop the kids for a swim and then shop worry-free - we will entertain the kids for you! Halfprice admission is in effect all evening, activities will be running, and there will be mov ies. Hot dogs and juice will be on sale for \$1, too. The kids can enjoy a "bubble bath" in the hot tub and all of our fun equipment will be in the wa-

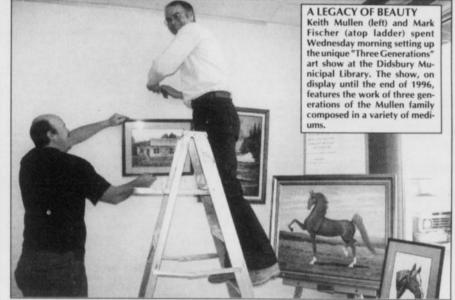
ter for them to enjoy. From November 29 until December 20, all patrons of the DAC will enjoy half-price admission for all programs and swim times. Yes, that includes aquacize, 50+ Fun and Fitness, public swim, family swim, teen swim and adult swim.

Should you wish to rent the pool anytime in December, that would be a wise choice (and a fun

one too), as all December rentals will receive a 25 per cent discount off the rental rate. Christmas parties, birthday parties, New Year's parties, or any other sort of get-together that you can think of can have a great time during a swimming rental

Acquacizers and 50+ers stay in shape...exercise in our classes right up until December 19. That's only six days from Christmas, for which you will want to be fit as a fiddle! Prize draws for these classes will take place weekly, too, so be sure to get in on the give-aways while stay-

Our December holiday schedule will be distributed this week in schools and will also be around in certain local businesses during Midnight Madness. This holiday schedule will include the school Christmas break, during which there will be plenty of scheduled public swims for the kids to enjoy. When they are get-ting cabin fever and have "noth-ing to do" send them to us - we'd be happy to look after them for



# underway Plans nova

Thirteen years ago, in recognition of Nova Corporation's major financial committment towards renovations to the Carstairs Me morial Arena, a group of dedi-

cated minor hockey volunteers decided to organize the first Nova Cup Midget A hockey tournament held annually during the Christmas holidays

Since its inception, the Nova Cup has become a pre-miere Midget A tournament within the province

With the formation of the Midget AA Bruins last year, the Nova Cup has expanded to include two separate categories, Midget A and Midget AA. Although both the Midget A

and Midget AA Bruins are based out of Carstairs, they have be-come regional teams, with players from both Carstairs and Didsbury on the roster. The need for cooperation has expanded beyond the playing surface as the communities of Carstairs and Didsbury have combined to present this year's edition of the Nova Cup. The tournament will be played in the Carstairs Arena and the Didsbury Memorial Complex commencing on December 26 and continuing through to December 29, 1996.

The organizing committee, comprised of parents from both Midget A and Midget AA associa-tions, as well as representatives from the Carstairs Minor Hockey and Didsbury Minor Hockey As sociations has worked diligently

for the past several weeks in mak ing preparations for the annual

When the 14th annual Nova Cup begins, it will be one of the

largest Midget tournaments in Central Alberta with 16 teams from across Alberta and Saskatchewan participating. Eight teams will vie for the championship in the A and AA categories, which will be divided into two divisions of four teams

Divisional teams in both categories will play a sequence of

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playoffs. Each team in roundrobin play is guaranteed three games. A total of 26 games will be

In the AA category, team confirmation has been received from Rocky Mountain House, Wheatland, Okotoks, Olds, Innisfail, Carstairs and a team from Caironport, Saskatchewan. Meanwhile in the Acategory, confirmation has been received from Carstairs, Trochu, Airdrie and Calgary Westwood.

Tournament play will com-mence on Boxing Day with two games in Carstairs, continu-ing daily in Didsbury and Carstairs with the A and AA finals being scheduled for Sunday, December 29 in



Manager Alan McCoy gave his report, outlining the accomplish-

ments of the year, ex-plaining the capital and again commending all the volunteers who have in so many hours.

The financial statement presented by Rod and Cary was discussed at length and adopted as presented.

Election of officers followed: Past President, Ernie Hoeft; President, Dick Forth; Vice President, Bruce Dunn; Secretary, Marge St. Clair; Treas-

urer, Rod Colling Directors - Ladies Club Presi-

Rhonda dent. Hunter; Men's Club President, Garry Durell; Junior Club President, Vern Wilshusen; Grounds, Mark Fleming, Don McRae. Don McMillan, Carolyn Tainsh, Dave Mohr and Jim Armour.

Membership fees were discussed and passed, also cart stor-

age and tournament fees. The first executive meeting will be Wednesday, December 11 at 7 p.m. at the clubhouse.

**Grizzlys on** 

Well, it has taken a couple of months, but the Olds Grizzlys are starting to look like a championship team. Having won their last five in a row, the

Grizzlys are begin-ning to distance themselves from the fifth-place St. Albert Saints

General Manager Dave Becker com-mented, "I feel the team is starting to progress really well. I'm very happy with how things are going. Olds will try to make

it six in a row, as they entertain the Fort McMurray Oil Barons in their only game this week at home, Friday, November 29.

Last week, the Grizzlys got things rolling by beating the Fort Saskatchewan Traders 3-1. Goal scorers were Greg Johnson, Dana Lattery and Scott Mackee. Ryan Ludwar picked up the win in net as he stopped all but one of 37 shots he faced

Olds played their next game

on the road as they had the second half of a home and home series with the Traders. It was as close as it gets. With the score 3-2

in Fort Saskatchewan's favor, the Grizzlys swarmed th net with under 45 seconds left. Eventually Greg Johnson banged it in sending the two teams into overtime. Overtime play solved nothing so the teams headed to a shoot-out where Olds walked away

with a 4-3 victory Other Grizzlys goal scorers were Kevin Seidel, and Brian Maloney Ludwar once again was between the pipes where he stopped 31

The final game of the week was at home against the Lloydminister Blazers. Thanks to David Weins scoring both markers in a 2-1 victory, the Grizz completed their five game winning streak improving their record to 16-11-3 for 35 points.



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# update

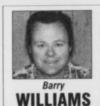
### Hosting tournament

December will be a busy month for tournaments as the Bantam AA Bruins have scheduled a tournament from Friday, December 6

through to Sunday, December 8, 1996 in Carstairs. Besides the AA Bruins, other participating teams are: B.C., Kelowna, B.C. Airdrie, Fort Sas katchewan, Olds and Innisfail.

For two days of competition, the teams will face off in round-robin competi-

tion commencing on Friday, De cember 6, 1996 at 7 p.m. Semi-



Wins a pair

Good teams find ways to win and this past weekend, the Bantam AA Bruins displayed character in winning two games. First they defeated Medicine Hat 7-3 Friday evening in Carstairs and on Saturday they trekked into Nanton defeating the Foothills Bisons 10-7.

Against Medicine Hat Blake

Denis-chuck picked up three points on two goals and an assist, while Rob Collinge dented the twine three times. Other goals were picked up by Mark Bom-bersback and Steve McEwan. As for assists, Ryan Dalziel chipped in with a pair while Shawn Hughes and Gairod Begg added single helpers.

In Nanton against the Foothille Bisons, Paul Anderson

final action is slated for the morn ing of Sunday, December 8, 1996, with the championship game slated for the afternoon.

Each team is guaranteed three games with the finalists being awarded an extra encounter.

Volunteers from Didsbury, Carstairs, Crossfield, Cremona and Cochrane have worked especially hard in preparing these tournaments fan support and would be greatly ap-

preciated by the parents and play-

and Mark Bombersback dented the twine twice, while Blake Denischuk, Clayton Filkohazy, Paul Anderson, Matt Wright, Ryan Dalziel and Shawn Hughes netted singletons. As for assists, Filkohazy and Denischuk chipped in with a pair while single assists were added by Shawn Hughes, Gairod Begg, Rob Collinge, Paul Anderson and Ryan Dalziel.

During the weekend action, the Bruins power play was on track, despite the loss of Kenny Swanson, scoring four goals, while the penalty-killing managed a

The Bruins next home game is on Saturday, November 30 against Brooks with game time slated for 4:30 p.m.

# Bantam AA Bruins Pee Wee AA Bruins finally

Coach Steve Hughes of the Pee Wee AA Bruins finally received his Christmas present, albeit a little early

Playing in Carstairs on Sunday afternoon, the Pee Wee AA Bruins displayed an improved defensive style of hockey, picking up their first win of the season, a hard fought 4 to 3 victory over Calgary NASA.

A goal by Nathan Geiger midway through the third period proved to be the winner. After the Geiger marker, the Bruins pro-tected the lead by playing excellent defensive hockey, preserving the win.

During the final ten minutes, the Bruins' penalty killers were also an impact in the victory as they rose to the occasion, succe fully killing off three consecutive penalties. Meanwhile the power

penarties. Meanwhile the power play struck for one goal during the dying minutes of the game. Between the pipes, Bruins netminder Lee Turco held the fort making several key saves, es-pecially when Calgary was pressing for the equalizer with the man

advantage.
Other Bruins goals came off the sticks of Devon Kletzel (who had a pair) and Brett Hopfe, while Wade Ogle, Jason Filkohazy, Michael Williams and Hopfe picked up assists.

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**Bow Valley Eagles** 

Calgary Canucks Olds Grizzlys

St. Albert Saints

Calgary Royals

Grande Prairie Storm

Fort McMurray Oil Barons Lloydminster Blazers

Fort Saskatchewan Traders

Bonnyville Pontiacs

Wee AA hockey action in Carstairs Saturday, the Bruins were struck by Lightning as the Airdrie Lightning defeated the home town team 11 to 3.

Right from the opening faceoff the Lightning dominated, jumping into an early 3 to 0 first period lead. During the second period, Airdrie continued to dominate, scoring five goals, adding three unanswered goals in the final stanza

For the Bruins offensively, the line of Devon Kletzel, Nathan Geiger and Michael Williams ac counted for the scoring. Kletzel scored a pair of goals with Geiger netting the third goal, while Williams picked up a pair of assists. Other helpers were recorded by Brett Hopfe and Jonathon Regner.

A tough physical game, there was an ugly moment in the en-counter as former Bruins player, Justin McCool was nailed with a five minute high sticking penalty plus a gross misconduct for in-

The rivalry between Airdrie and Carstairs continues this week end as the Bruins travel to Airdrie for a league re-match.

### Canada's Sports Poet

Frank Pavlick

# **Highway to Hamilton**

Sunday, November 24th, another Grey Cup blast Who in this country hasn't heard of parties of the past This time the Eskimos head East to meet Doug and his boys, The Argonauts feel very sure they're gonna make big noise. The Grey Cup isn't just a game, it's East against the The Argonauts, the Eskimos, one ONLY is the best And though each season pros and cons have turned things up

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November 24th, the Again Argonauts will play, The Eskimos of Edmonton, Yo! Hello, Grey Cup day.

**Alberta Junior Hockey League Standings** 

1996-97

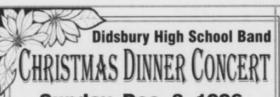
# Theatre 2000 will be on stage in Didsbury

November 29 and 30 are two dates to look forward to when Theatre 2000 will present the play "The Impossible Years" at the Didsbury Complex at 7:30 p.m. Tickets from Joanna James at 335-8689 or cast members who include from Carstairs - Tanya Simpson, Jessica Frey and Will Simpson.

From Didsbury - Bobbi Jackson, John Orman, Shaun Farley, Jessie Isaac, Dale Reese and Cameron James

From Olds and area - Lori Beneteau, Maya Iverson, Christa Arvay, Tom O'Neil and Terry Whittaker.

The play, a light comedy about a psychiatrist and his wife raising their teenage daughter is directed by Judi Paul-Whittaker and will be an evening of great entertainment. The performance on Sat-urday evening is being sponsored by the Community Mental Health Advisory Committee, more information by phoning Joanna at 335



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# DIDSBURY HOCKEY

### **Huskies hard** work pays

After a short debate the Novice #2 team became known as the Huskies.

The Huskies travelled to Olds on Sunday for their fourth league game.

showed quick offensive skills putting the Huskies in front 1-0 less than a minute into the game. The first period was a see-saw battle ending 2-2. Jordan was great in net.

In the second period Riley, Brad and Corey's fantastic hussle opened up some great scoring chances. The second period ended 6-5 for Didsbury.

The boys came out strong in the third outscoring Olds 3-2. The final score was 9-7 for

Didsbury. Another great game.

Honorable mention should GO to to some of the sisters of the boys on the team. Curley Dietrich, Cassandra Dietrich, Kayla Edwards and Brittney Robertson, whose cheers are always heard clearly throughout the arenas.

Don't forget to come watch some of the exciting action this weekend November 29, 30 and December 1, as the Novice teams will be hosting their tournament.

The Atom A's were victorious in winning the "B" event in the Sundre tournament on Friday,

November 22. We played against Olds #1 in what proved to be a very physical game. Troy Schwandt once again did an outstanding job in net by keeping the game from being worse than our 5-2 loss. Our goals went to Ian Brander assisted by Steven McMullen and one by Steven McMullen unassisted. Jeff Clazie got the Heart and Hustle. Saturday, November 23 we

walked away with a 7-3 win over Three Hills. This game was also played as a league game. Points in this game went to Ian Brander with a hat trick and an assist. Steven McMullen got two goals and one assist and Aaron Herald with two goals. Other assists went to Travis Miko and Adam Dingman. Heart and Hustle went to Troy Schwandt.

The "B" final on Sunday, November 24 proved to be a great heartstopper with non-stop ac-tion from both Didsbury and Airdrie. After three periods we were tied 5-5. A three-man shoot-out followed, with Ian Brander scoring the winning goal. A great team effort was put forth by all. Other points went to Steven McMullen with a hat trick and an assist. Aaron Herald one goal and Ian Brander one goal and one assist. Tom Morgan and Billy Kohut got single assists. Ian Brander received the Heart and Hustle.



Tom Morgan #5 - "A" Position: Defense Shoots: Right



Bill Way #77 Age:11 Position: Defense Shoots: Left

# **Novice** ournament

Friday, November 29 1:00 - Didsbury #1 vs. Didsbury #3 2:30 - Carstairs #2 vs. Didsbury #2

4:00 - Olds #3 vs. Airdrie

5:30 - Torrington vs. Olds #1 Saturday, November 30

8:00 - Carstairs #2 vs. Airdrie 9:30 - Didsbury #1 vs. Olds #1 1:00 - Olds #3 vs. Didsbury #2 11:00 -

12:30 - Didsbury #3 vs. Torrington 2:00 - Airdrie vs. Didsbury #2 3:30 - Didsbury #1 vs. Torrington

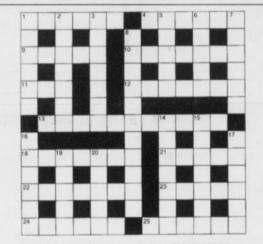
5:00 - Carstairs #2 vs. Olds #3

6:30 - Carstans #2 vs. Olds #3 6:30 - Didsbury #3 vs. Olds #1 Sunday, December 1 11:00 - "D" Final 12:45 - "C" Final

2:30 - "B" Final

4:15 - "A" Final





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# Unacina events

### CARSTAIRS

RECYCLING DEPOT

Carstairs Lion's Recycling Depot is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. 12:20 p.m. tf

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Overeaters Anonymous, Carstairs Catholic Parish, 302 - 11 Ave., Car-stairs, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Further info. 337-3619 (Teri). tín

### DIDSBURY

DIDSBURY TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Betty at 335-3994 or Vivian at 335-3730. AL-ANON

Al-Anon meetings for families of alco-holics held every Friday at 8:30 p.m. in EV Church, next to Post Office, Didsbury, More info. 335-3637 OR 335-3709.

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Beaver's Monday 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome. tfn
KING HIRAM LODGE MEETING

King Hiram Lodge #21 has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Hans Lucas at 337-2250. th

St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its St. Hida Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its regular meetings at 8:00 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Marge Steckler at 335-4281.tfn HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Won't you join us at the Museum on the 1st Thursday of every month from 2 - 4 p.m. for coffee. Everyone is welcome, newcomers to town come and get acquainted. We have lots to see, take a look back in history. There is no charge but of course donations are always wel-come. The museum is also open on Wed., Thurs. and Fri. from 2 - 5 p.m. weekly. We're located at 2118 -21st Ave. For more info. call 335-

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CASH BINGO
Didsbury Elks Cash Bingo every Tuesday. Doors open 6:00 p.m., Nickel Bingo at 6:45. Regular bingo at 7:30 p.m. Didsbury Elks Hall. tin
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LIONS

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DIDSBURY INFORMATION

Mountain View La Leche League, a group which offers information and support for breastfeeding mothers. We also meet the 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. Phone 335-8864 or 335-2331 for information and meet-AA

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 20 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Kim at 335-9645 or Rick at 335-9525.

### **LONE PINE**

Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets every Wednesday at 6:45 p.m. at Lone Pine Hall. For information call Doreen at

### **OLDS**

MEETING

Adoption Support Group of Olds and area meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month. For more information contact Susan at 335-8540.

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS Olds Gamblers Anonymous, 5022 52nd St., basement, Wednesday, 7 - 9 p.m. Open meetings, first Wednesday of every month. SUPPORT GROUP

Fibromyalgia Support Group 4th Thursday of every month, 7 p.m. at the Deer Meadow School, Olds. tnf

### SUNDRE

Alcoholics Anonymous Wednesdays, 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the base ment of the Anglican Church. Ron 638-2736.

ALA TEEN

Ala Teen, Sundre United Church Basement, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. More info 638-3277. tfn

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### OTHER

SHOW

82nd Annual Alberta Provincial Poultry, Rabbit and Cavy Show, Agriculture Pavilion, Stampede Park, Friday, December 6 to Sunday, Dec. 8, 1996. Free admission. For further information: Charlene Dittmer, Calgary Exhibition & Stampede, Box 1060, Station M, Calgary, AB T2P 2K8, Telephone (403) 261-0313, Fax: (403) 262-3067.

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